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Exhibit shown or demonstration conducted: d) ☐ Yes e) ☒ No.
If Yes, brief description: _____

Claim(s) discussed: 1-9, 11-19 and 21-29.

Identification of prior art discussed: US 2004/0221120 (Abrashkevich); US 7,158,991 (Kekre et al).


Agreement with respect to the claims f) ☐ was reached. g) ☒ was not reached. h) ☐ N/A.

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